

Interpretation - 1 Interpretation

Title:

Official Visit Airfare (I)

Date Published: May 5, 2016**Type:** Staff Interpretation**Item Ref:** a**Interpretation:**

The academic and membership affairs staff determined that an institution may pay the cost of optional service fees associated with preferred seats (e.g. additional leg room, exit row seating, seat assignments) for **official visit** transportation, provided the ticket is considered coach-class **airfare**.

[References: NCAA Bylaws 13.5.2.1 (general restrictions), 13.5.2.3 (air transportation), 13.5.2.6.1 (exception -- transportation expenses for a prospective student-athlete's parents or legal guardians -- basketball) and 13.5.2.6.2 (exception -- transportation expenses for a prospective student-athlete's parents or legal guardians -- bowl subdivision football)]

See Also Issued: 4/28/16 Approved by IC: 5/4/16 **References**

| Legislative References | | | Other |
|------------------------|------------|---|-------|
| Div. | Number | Title | |
| I | 13.5.2.1 | General Restrictions. | |
| I | 13.5.2.3 | Air Transportation. | |
| I | 13.5.2.6.1 | Exception -- Transportation Expenses for a Prospective Student-Athlete's Parents or Legal Guardians -- Basketball. | |
| I | 13.5.2.6.2 | Exception -- Transportation Expenses for a Prospective Student-Athlete's Parents or Legal Guardians -- Bowl Subdivision Football. | |